

REMARKS

Claims 1-12 are pending in the present Application. Claims 9-12 have been canceled without prejudice. Claims 1-8 stand allowed.

With this Amendment, Applicants submit that there are no remaining issues in this Application and respectfully request favorable reconsideration in the form of a notice of allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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